

ABSTRACT

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This research takes online newspaper as the object. News is obtained from The Jakarta Post. Most online newspaper used short sentences to explain a problems in the text. Focused of this research took speeches and various parts of Lakoff and Johnson that contained metonymy. It becomes the source of data for the analysis. The research questions are: 1. What types of relationship metonym are between triggers and targets concept in it? 2. How does the usage of metonymy construct the context of the text? This study investigates metonymy types and reveals the relationship between news texts and readers. The theory used is Part of Metonymy pioneered by Lakoff and Johnson. The method of this research is mix method. The qualitative method used to analysis, meanwhile the quantitative method used to the results. The writer uses words to give the description of data. The result of this research consists of five data of news which are divided into seven types of metonymy in order to answer the first research question. The first type is The Part for The Whole has 9 data and fulfills 22.5% of the proportion. The second type is Controller for Controlling which has 7 data and meets 17.5% proportions. The third type is The Place for The Event which has 6 data and meets 15% proportion. The fourth type is Object Used for User, Institution for People Responsible, and The Place for the Institution which has 5 data each and fulfills 12.5% of the proportion. The last type is Producer for Product which has 3 data and meets 7.5% proportion in analysis. Conclusions of this research, The Part for The Whole is a type of metonymy that often appears in news of murder case on The Jakarta Post online newspaper.